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1 July 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Training

SUBJECT : Course Report for CIA Today and Tomorrow
17-20 June 1975

1. CIA Today and Tomorrow No. 4-75 was held in the Headquarters Auditorium 17-19 June, 1975. A fourth day for DDO personnel only was held on 20 June. About 210 Agency employees attended, representing all Directorates and the DCI's complex. [redacted] served as Course Chairman, assisted by [redacted]

2. Course Content

The program followed pretty much the successful model of the last several courses. Directorate activities, problems, and future plans were discussed by the Deputy Directors or their Associates. Substantive presentations on the Soviet Union and Economic Intelligence were also included. Other special topics of current interest were the image of the Agency, adroitly presented by Angus Thuermer, a look at CIA's security priorities and problems by Charlie Kane, and a futuristic look at the Agency's operational mission by [redacted]

3. Administrative problems were minimal. As in the last course, Sayre Stevens showed up at the last minute for Carl Duckett. Maurice Ernst substituted for [redacted] and gave a surprisingly interesting and appropriate presentation on Economic Intelligence. The Wednesday morning program had to be curtailed since the DCI had requested the Auditorium for a special meeting with Agency senior officials. By cancelling a Thursday film, we were able to present the entire speaker program without any major re-shuffling.

4. Unlike the previous running, questioning from the audience was lively and constant from the start. Most effective and best received speakers were Bill Nelson, Jack Blake, Angus Thuermer, [redacted] and, of course, the Director. Mr. Colby gave essentially the same talk he had given the day before to the Agency senior officers.

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5. The Course Chairman gained the impression that the speakers, particularly the DCI and the Deputy Directors, were going out of their way to be candid, and to make this training program a morale-building experience. The audience was obviously sympathetic to the complexity and stress of the present situation, the brunt of which is being borne by our senior officials. In a number of cases, speakers were applauded as they mounted the podium. (The DDA said "It's the first time this has ever happened to me!")

6. DDO Day

25X1A [redacted] was the coordinator for DDO Day and worked
25X1A closely with [redacted] on the program. As in the April
running, the morning was devoted to a discussion of career
management for which the group was divided into two sections.
25X1A [redacted] substituting for [redacted] t with
the professional careerists, and [redacted] met 25X1A
with the secretarial group. In the afternoon, the entire
group heard discussions of the Soviet and Chinese targets,
25X1A with [redacted] respectively, handling
same. Mr. David Blee made the closing remarks as he has in
the past.

The program was well received by the 85 who attended. The sessions on career management appear of particular interest to the group. It was suggested to [redacted] 25X1A following completion of the program, that in future runnings the afternoon session might be devoted to discussions of other than the two operational targets, which appear not to be of as much interest to the group. [redacted] agreed and will discuss other possible topics of discussion with the DDO management prior to the October running. 25X1A

7. All in all, one must conclude that this has been a successful running of what has become one of our most popular training programs. Applications for the October 1975 course are already coming in at a steady clip.

25X1A
[redacted]

Atts:
Schedule
Roster

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CIA TODAY AND TOMORROW
Course #4-75

17-19 June 1975

Headquarters Auditorium

The objective of the course is
to update the participants on
recent developments and future
programs in the Agency and the
Intelligence Community

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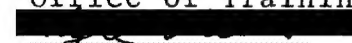
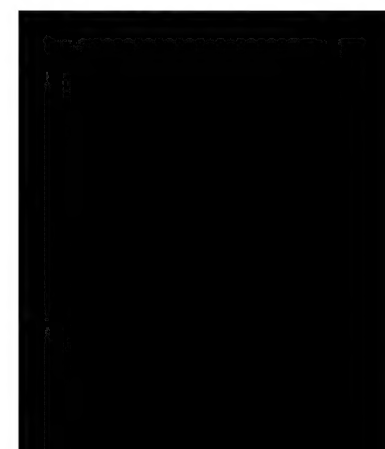
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TUESDAY, 17 June 1975

0830-0900	Registration	25X1A
0900-0940	CIA Today	 Office of Training 
1010-1100	Congress and the CIA	George L. Cary <i>Dep.</i> Legislative Counsel
1110-1200	Intelligence Production and the Policy Maker	Paul V. Walsh Associate Deputy Director for Intelligence
	Lunch	
1310-1400	An NIO View of the USSR	
1410-1500	Film: "Who Owns the Sea?"	
1530-1620	Intelligence and the Law of the Sea	

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WEDNESDAY, 18 June 1975

~~0900-0950~~

A Present and
Future Look
at Economic
Intelligence

Maurice Ernst
[Redacted]
Deputy Director
of Economic
Research

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1020-1110

Managing the
Intelligence
Community

John M. Clarke
Associate Deputy
to the DCI for
the Intelligence
Community

1120-1210

Science and
Technology
in CIA

Sage Stevens
Carl Duckett
Rep. Deputy Director
for Science and
Technology

Lunch

1330-1430

The Image of
the Agency

Angus M. Thuermer
Assistant to
the Director

1510-1600

Changing
Priorities in
the Agency's
Security
Program

Charles W. Kane
Director of
Security

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THURSDAY, 19 June 1975

0900-1000 Operations:
New Targets,
New Approaches



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1030-1130 The Operations
Directorate

William E. Nelson
Deputy Director
for Operations

1140-1230 Administrative
Support in CIA

John F. Blake
Deputy Director
for Administration

Lunch

1340-1430

Film: "The
Mexican Connection"

1500-1515 Course Review
and Discussion

1515-1600 The Director
of Central
Intelligence

William E. Colby

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CIA TODAY AND TOMORROW

DDO Day 20 June 1975

0900-1100 Career Management

Group A - Auditorium

Group B - Room 1 E 78

1300-1400 China Target

1430-1530 Soviet Target

1545-1630 Closing Remarks



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David H. Blee
Associate
Deputy Director
for Operations

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